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Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended: August 25, 1990



Energy Information Administration



Preface

The Weekly Coal Production (WCP) provides weekly estimates of U.S. coal production by State. Supplementary data are usually published monthly in two supplements: the Coal Exports and Imports Supplement and the Domestic Market Supplement. The Coal Exports and Imports Supplement contains detailed monthly data on U.S. coal and coke exports and imports. The Domestic Market Supplement contains detailed monthly electric utility coal statistics, by Census Division and State, for generation, consumption, stocks, receipts, sulfur content, prices, and the origin and destination of coal shipments. This supplement also contains summary level, monthly data for all coal consuming sectors on a quarterly basis.

Preliminary coal production data are published quarterly based on production data collected using Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report." Based on 1988 data, the coal production estimation error for a quarter at the national level (i.e. the difference between the sum of the weekly estimates for a quarter and, the quarterly EIA-6 preliminary data) ranges from one percent to four percent.

Final coal production data are published annually based on the EIA-7A coal production survey. Based on 1988 data, the revision error for a quarter at the national level (i.e. the difference between the EIA-6 preliminary data and the EIA-7A final data) ranges from .02 percent to .08 percent.

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Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended August 25, 1990, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 21 million short tons. This was about the same as in the previous week and slightly higher

than in the comparable week in 1989. Production East of the Mississippi River totaled 13 million short tons, and production West of the Mississippi River totaled 8 million short tons.

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Figure 1. Coal Production

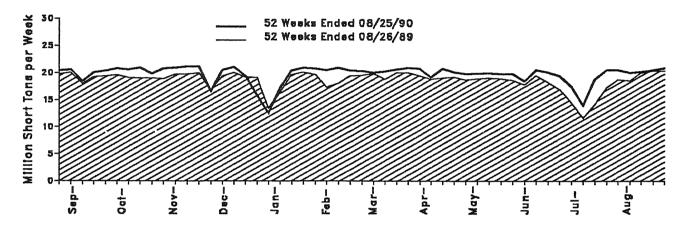


Table 1. Coal Production

| Production | Week Ended | | | 52 Weeks Ended | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|----------|----------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|
| and Carloadings | 08/25/90 | 08/18/90 | 08/26/89 | 08/25/90 | 08/26/89 | Percent Change |
| Production (Thousand Short Tons) | | | | | | |
| Bituminous ¹ and Lignite | 20,871 | 20,521 | 20,376 | 1,023,414 | 964,575 | 6.1 |
| Pennsylvania Anthracite | 81 | 72 | 69 | 3,358 | 3,493 | -3.9 |
| U.S. Total | 20,952 | 20,593 | 20,445 | 1,026,773 | 968,068 | 6.1 |
| | | 132,319 | 132,805 | 6,628,608 | 6,356,698 | |

Includes subbituminous coal.
Notes: All data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.
Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration,
Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Coal Production by State (Thousand Short Tons)

| | Week Ended | | | | |
|---|------------|----------|----------|--|--|
| Region and State | 08/25/90 | 08/18/90 | 08/26/89 | | |
| Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite | | | | | |
| East of the Mississippi | 12,523 | 12,309 | 12,341 | | |
| Alabama | 580 | 564 | 529 | | |
| Illinois | 1,070 | 1,108 | 1,246 | | |
| Indiana | 828 | 833 | 787 | | |
| Kentucky | 3,263 | 3,249 | 3,430 | | |
| Kentucky, Eastern | 2,407 | 2,395 | 2,570 | | |
| Kentucky, Western | 857 | 854 | 860 | | |
| Maryland | 58 | 58 | 54 | | |
| Ohio | 712 | 686 | 692 | | |
| Pennsylvania Bituminous | 1.578 | 1,470 | 1,435 | | |
| Tennessee | 142 | 140 | 131 | | |
| Virginia | 993 | 976 | 1,048 | | |
| West Virginia | 3,297 | 3,226 | 2,988 | | |
| West of the Mississippi | 8,348 | 8,212 | 8,035 | | |
| Alaska | 29 | 28 | 25 | | |
| Arizona | 255 | 250 | 271 | | |
| Arkansas | 3 | 3 | 2 | | |
| Colorado | 506 | 456 | 270 | | |
| lowa | 8 | 8 | 8 | | |
| Kansas | 23 | 23 | 30 | | |
| Louisiana | 54 | 76 | 82 | | |
| Missouri | 63 | 61 | 62 | | |
| Montana | 724 | 713 | 769 | | |
| New Mexico | 494 | 496 | 550 | | |
| North Dakota | 596 | 588 | 612 | | |
| | 38 | 39 | 42 | | |
| Oklahoma Texas | 1.277 | 1,253 | 1,243 | | |
| Utah | 564 | 522 | 359 | | |
| | 102 | 100 | 92 | | |
| Washington | 3,614 | 3,596 | 3.615 | | |
| Wyoming | 3,014 | S,080 | 0,010 | | |
| Bituminous ¹ and Lignite Total | 20,871 | 20,521 | 20,376 | | |
| Pennsylvania Anthracite | 81 | 72 | 69 | | |
| J.S. Total | 20,952 | 20,593 | 20,445 | | |

¹ Includes subbituminous coal.

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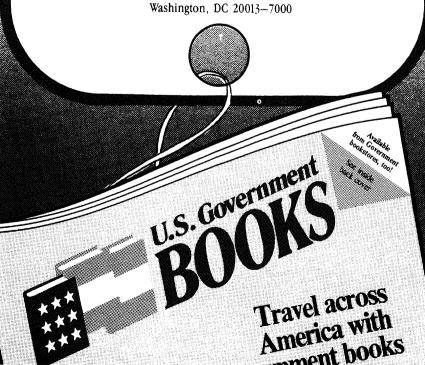
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